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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Iraj A. Rahimi
Koji NAKAGIRI, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2622
Application No.: 09/912,553)	
	:	Allowed: October 11, 2005
Filed: July 26, 2001)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 4598
For: PRINT CONTROL APPARATUS)	
AND CONTROL METHOD	:	November 22, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

WITHDRAWAL OF
REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Sir:

Applicants have received a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due, form PTOL-85, dated October 11, 2005, with an attached Notice of Allowability. The Issue Fee is due January 11, 2006, and has not yet been paid.

On October 28, 2005, Applicants' undersigned attorney filed a Request for Corrected Notice of Allowability (the "Request"). Specifically, the Request states that the identification of the allowed claims shown on the Notice of Allowability mailed with the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due Form PTO-85 dated October 11, 2005, is incorrect.

The Notice of Allowability identifies that the allowed claims are "Claims 1-3, 6-8, 10-12, 15-17, 19-21, 24-26, and 29-31". It is erroneously asserted in the Request that the allowed claims should have been identified as being --1-3, **6-12, 15-21, and 24-31**--.

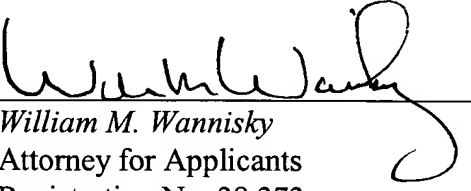
In fact, the Notice of Allowability correctly identifies the allowed claims inasmuch as Claims 9, 18, 27, and 28 were canceled in an Examiner's Amendment dated September 28, 2005, which was attached to the Notice of Allowability.

Accordingly, the Notice of Allowability is accurate and the Request for Corrected Notice of Allowability is hereby withdrawn, and it should be disregarded.

Favorable consideration hereof and early passage to issue of the application are earnestly solicited.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our New York office at the below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,


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